

St. Paul's Notes

FOLLOWING GOD'S DIRECTIONS

50 Days of Faith

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"Walk in all the way that the Lord your God has commanded you, so that you may live and prosper and prolong your days." Deuteronomy 5:33

WHAT GOD PROMISES IF WE OBEY HIM

"God blesses those who obey Him." Proverbs 16:20 (LB)

"God saves those who obey Him." Psalm 7:10 (GN)

"The Lord watches over those who obey Him." Psalm 33:18 (GN)

"The Lord takes care of those who obey him." Psalm 37:18 (GN)

"You help all those who obey You." Psalm 7:9 (NLT)

*"God gives us what we ask for because we obey His commands."
1 John 3:22 (NCV)*

"Always obey the Lord and you will be happy." Proverbs 28:14 (GN)

"Keep God's laws and you will live longer." Proverbs 19:16 (GN)

"Those who obey the Lord lack nothing good." Psalm 34:10 (GN)

"Those who obey Him have all they need." Psalm 34:9 (GN)

You will...

"... live in perfect freedom." Psalm 119:45 (GN)

"... have greater wisdom." Psalm 119:100 (GN)

"... dwell in security and peace." Proverbs 1:33 (NAB)

"... be prosperous and successful." Joshua 1:8 (GN)

"... be great in the kingdom of heaven." Matthew 5:19 (NCV)

"... be rewarded." Proverbs 13:13 (NCV)

OTHER PROMISES

Proverbs 19:23 (GN), Proverbs 10:27 (GN), Psalm 25:14 (GN),
Psalm 128:1 (GN), Psalm 106:3 (GN),
Luke 11:28 (NIV), Psalm 111:10 (NLT), John 15:7 (LB)

HOW TO RECEIVE GOD'S PROMISES

1. OBEY GOD _____

"I run in the path of Your commands." Psalm 119:32

*"I will hasten and not delay to obey Your commands."
Psalm 119:60*

2. OBEY GOD _____

*"You have laid down precepts that are to be fully obeyed."
Psalm 119:4*

*"... Your job is not to decide whether God's law is right or
wrong, but to obey it." James 4:11c (LB)*

*"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own
understanding." Proverbs 3:5*

3. OBEY GOD _____

"Obey Him gladly." Psalm 100:2b(LB)

"I delight in Your decrees." Psalm 119:16

"I delight in Your commands..." Psalm 119:47

"Loving God means doing what He tells us to do..."
1 John 5:3 (LB)

4. OBEY GOD _____

"My heart is set on keeping Your decrees to the very end."
Psalm 119:112

*"Just tell me what to do and I will do it, Lord. As long as I live
I'll wholeheartedly obey."* Psalm 119:33 (LB)

"We must be sure to obey the truth we have learned already."
Philippians 3:16 (NLT)

"Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the kingdom of heaven but only he who does the will of my Father who is in heaven." Matthew 7:21

50 Days of Faith: Putting My Faith Into Action

"Faith by itself if it is not accompanied by action is dead."
James 2:26

Faith is:

Expecting the best even when things don't look good.

Stretching my imagination, even when I'm full of doubts.

Taking the initiative even when I feel like procrastinating.

Taking risks for God even when I am afraid.

Persisting even when I feel like giving up.

Giving my tithe back to God when I think I can't afford it.

Doing whatever God tells me even when it doesn't make sense.